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Big Sonoma Cannery Now in Successful Working Operation

SEBASTIANI PLANT GIVES EMPLOYMENT TO MANY PEOPLE. THOUSANDS OF CASES OF TOMATOES BEARING SONOMA LABEL ARE PUT UP

The Sebastiani Canning Company began operations here at its new $60,000.00 plant this week. The immense concrete structure which houses Sonoma's new industry is a model of the latest factory construction and has been designed to meet all needs of the government requirements for plants which are filling government contracts. The building was erected under the direction of Peter Quartaroli, an experienced cannery man formerly of San Jose and who was associated with the California Fruit Canners Association for many years. Contractor R. E. Murphy was in charge of the construction work.

Mr. Sebastiani whose capital and business sagacity made the big enterprise possible, spared no expense to make it one of the finest canneries in the state. The machinery is all the latest and most approved type and the building is equipped to handle an immense volume of business.

About 30 women and girls and as many men went to work this week in the tomatoes and hundreds of cases are already stored in the warehouse ready for shipment. The tomatoes are slow to ripen but are being handled as fast as they are brought in.

Mr. Quartaroli aims to make the Sebastiani brand of tomatoes and tomato sauce a famous one and the labels are attractive and bear the name Sonoma and "Valley of the Moon" which will do much to advertise this section.

Every comfort and convenience for the ladies employed has been provided for and there are lunch and rest rooms in the spacious building. Mrs. Sebastiani, Mrs. P. Quartaroli and Mrs. Burlingame are foreladies at the factory and have an efficient number of assistants peeling fruit.

All employees sign the government pledge to safe-guard the product and be loyal to the United States.

NEW LEASEE SEEKS LICENSE

Julius Brown, new leasee of Fetters Springs has applied for a license to the Board of Supervisors. Numerous signers of Brown's petition believe that in a much as the property he has leased is one of Sonoma valley's biggest hotel and resort properties, he should be given the right to compete with the other big resorts and have the right and privilege which they enjoy of selling wines and liquors to his patrons. Mr. Brown intends to spend much money advertising the springs widely and will spend lots of money with local trades people. The fact that the former management was convicted of selling liquor unlawfully, should not be held against Brown or result in practically confiscating the big investment represented in the Fetters property. Supervisor Weise is said to favor the granting of the license.

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GRANT'S VICE CRUSADE HERE

Reformer Maligns Leading Sonoma Valley Resorts In Accustomed Fashion.

Ex-Senator Edwin E. Grant, the whirlwind vice crusader, has struck Sonoma valley and in a startling affidavit, filed with the District Attorney and Board of Trustees of Sonoma, he alleges that vice is rampant here. In his verbal rampage, the author of the Red Light Abatement bill who is making a business of "cleaning up" communities and kicking up all the filth possible to conjure, attacks places all over the county. He attacks a Sonoma saloon, Fetters, Boyes Springs and El Verano, mentioning Louis' saloon where "dancing is permitted in the rear while men and women are plied with beer and wine in secluded rooms leading off the said saloon". He later refers to the Savoy saloon. He declares Fetters was a hotbed of vice and Boyes Springs Clubhouse not much better.

The dirty attack on our leading resorts will cause a storm of resentment throughout the county as Grants bilge-water methods are well known.

Daisy Sinkins, an investigator whom it was claimed was in Grants employ as a detective has become a familiar figure around the local resorts the past season.

Grant is a high chief in the State Law Enforcement and Protective League of which Rev. Paul Smith of recent picture play fame is president

DRAFTED MEN ATTENTION

Questionnaires are being mailed out and all registrants are advised by the exemption board to study them carefully before going to fill them cut. An advisory board consisting of local attorneys and R. R. Emparan John Mohr, James and Thos. Baines will assist in filling out questionnaires

STORES TO CLOSE FROM 2 to 4 P. M. TODAY

In order to give the store-keepers and clerks an opportunity to witness the arrival of the airplane this afternoon the Sonoma stores will close from 2 to 4

Joy Sycrowsky was tendered a lovely surprise birthday party in honor of her 7th birthday yesterday.

The affair was at the home of Mrs. F. W. Dobbel and a brilliantly lit birthday cake was a feature of the never-to-be-forgotten affair.

John Bacagalupi, formerly of Agua Caliente, enlisted about three weeks ago in the Merchant Marine. He is a brother of Mrs. S. Cannobbio.

Miss Ethel Evans has entered Normal school to train for a taecher. She will spend the week ends with her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Breitenbach.

Peter Boccoli has petitioned the superior court for letters of administration on the estate of his mother, the late Matilda Martinoni. C. C. Cowgill represents petitioner. The heirs are Mr. Boccoli, Mrs. S. Ciucci and Mrs. H. Castagnasso.

Mrs. Fred Schell has returned home after a pleasant visit with San Francisco relatives.

Mrs. Arthur Fisk and little daughter, Phyllis, have been enjoying a pleasant vacation in San Francisco and suburbs.

Mrs. A. M. Thomson visited her husband, Lieutenant Thomson of the Medical Corps at Camp Fremont over the last week end. She motored down in her car as far as San Francisco where they were met by F. Matsuyama, an experienced driver, who drove the Thomson car down the peninsula to the army camp.

ALL KINDS—of ornamental, fruit trees and plants from Case Nursery Co. Sebastopol. Local agent Chas. Danieli, El Verano. Leave orders there.

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Kindly give this matter your prompt attention, if you are not paid in advance, to avoid delays and inconveniences.

This ruling is part of the nation wide plan to conserve the supply of white paper.

It positively prohibits publishers from sending unpaid for newspapers to anyone after October 1st.

Respectfully,
WALTER L. MURPHY
Publisher, The Sonoma Index-Tribune

TALENTED WOMAN PASSES AWAY

Mrs. Frank Koenig, One of Gifted Livernash Family Suffers Stroke Of Apoplexy.

Mrs. Elizabeth Koenig, the prominent and well known resident of Second Street East suffered a stroke of apoplexy on Thursday about 11 o'clock and although her physician, Dr. Hays, was immediately summoned, her condition was from the start very critical. She was unconscious all day Thursday and Friday and passed away surrounded by her loved ones yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Koenig, her husband, who has himself been a very sick man for some time past, is prostrate over the loss of his devoted helpmate.

As Lizzie Livernash, the journalistic talent of Mrs. Koenig was widely recognized. She was formerly editor of the Healdsburg Enterprise and her brother, Ed Livernash, former Congressman and journalist is prominently identified with the political and journalistic history of this state.

Anxious inquiries and countless words of sympathy came to the relatives of Mrs. Koenig as soon as news of her condition became generally known and Sonoma will generally mourn the loss of a favored daughter and staunch friend. She had ever sung the praises of this favored section of California and her gifted pen did much fine publicity work. No eulogy could pay tribute to her as she was want to pay it to the many friends she honored when the Angel of Death called them o'er the great Divide, but those left to mourn her passing will in ways no less expressive, reveal the depth of their esteem for the dutiful wife, devoted sister and splendid friend in whose book of life the word finis has been written.

Mrs. Koenig was the wife of Frank Koenig, prominent Elk and former hotel proprietor, and sister of Mrs. James L. Modini, Mrs. Ingalls of Healdsburg, Miss Adele Livernash and Edward and Will Livernash.

The funeral services will be held at St. Francis church on Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in the family plot at Healdsburg.

Mr. A. B. C. Dohrmann To Tell How Red Cross Money is Spent.

Every loyal citizen in Sonoma Valley is requested to be present at the big meeting scheduled for next Saturday night when Mr. A. B. C. Dohrmann, the biggest Red Cross man on the Pacific Coast will come to Sonoma to address our people.

Mr. Dohrmann will go into detailed explanation in regard to the expenditure and administration of Red Cross funds. He will tell how every cent is spent and the necessity for the funds in the greatest of humanitarian work.

The Grammar School Auditorium will be the place of the meeting which is free to the public. Let us make it a good big meeting and show Mr. Dohrmann Sonoma's interest in the Red Cross.

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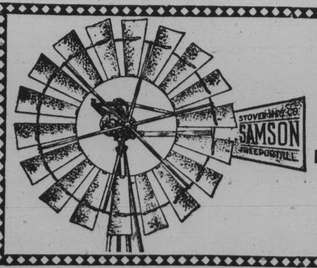

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Fifth Annual Sonoma Agricultural Fair Opens Today

AVIATOR FROM MATHER FIELD WILL LAND AT BURRIS FIELD AT 2 P. M. STATE HOME BAND TOO.

The High School grounds will be the mecca of crowds today, for the Fifth Annual Agricultural Fair opens at 10 a. m. and there are to be many attractive exhibits and features. Fruit ard livestock will be displayed on the north and south sides of the High School building and Home Arts in the Domestic Science Annex. There will be refreshments at attractive booths and many concessions to amuse and interest old as well as young.

The beautiful Community Service Flag with over 140 stars will be dedicated at 10 a. m. and will be on display throughout the day. F. T. Duhring will deliver an address appropriate to the occasion.

Stock judging will be in the capable hands of Prof. Baade at 10:30 and at this hour there will be a food demonstration by Mrs. Fowler of U.C

The baby show which is to decide who has the cutest youngster in Sonoma valley will be held in the Domestic Science building at 10:30. Mrs. Michelssohn, Mrs. Fowler and Miss McRae will be the judges.

At 11 a. m. Fordson, Samson and International tractors will be demonstrated. Fruit judging will also take place at this time and the wonderful exhibits of Sonoma Valley's best, will be in competition.

At 12, noon "eats" will be on sale and the Japanese booth is to serve both tea and coffee while awards are being made and distributed to lucky and successful growers.

The motion pictures will start at 12:30 interspersed with a talk by Farm Adviser Merrill. This will occupy the time until 2 o'clock.

The Burris field has been selected as the landing place for the airplane from Sacramento which the U. S. government has been so courteous to send. The aviator will do many spectacular flying stunts and thrill the spectators with his demonstration of Uncle Sam's prowess in the air.

The State Home Band will arrive about noon and play throughout the remainder of the day.

A basketball game with Petaluma High School follows the departure of the airplane.

The Salvation Army drive for funds will be given impetus by the High School committee during the day.

Dancing in the Womans Clubhouse will conclude the Fair. The dance is in charge of a committee headed by Miss Zolita Bates and the Pauli-Johnson orchestra will play.

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Wedding bells it is said will reecho before long through the romantic confines of Boyes Springs where a clever business man and Beau Brummel is suitor for the hand and heart of a charming and well-to-do widow.

Miss Eleanor Green of Sacramento visited her relatives, the Cheney family, here on Sunday last. Miss Green is the sister of Maude Green who is now a teacher in the Sacramento High Schools.

Coroner and Mrs. Frank Phillips and Judge Denny and party were among the official family from Santa Rosa dining at the Toscano Hotel Sunday. Coroner Phillips has a warm place in his heart for many friends over this way and he always gets a cordial welcome when in Sonoma valley either on business or pleasure.

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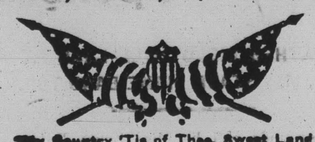

"My Country 'Tis of Thee, Sweet Land of Liberty."

Cannery Puts Sonoma On Industrial Map

THAT THE BUSY hungry world will find a path to your door even if you are in a wilderness, provided you have the mental capacity to forge ahead and accomplish something better than the average man, has been pointed out by Emerson and other thoughtful observers and it is being demonstrated here in Sonoma where suddenly in our hitherto quiet midst, we hear the gladsome sound of industrial activity and the whirr of machinery in a big cannery which is filling government orders.

The necessity of feeding millions caused shrewd buyers of canned goods to look around for men up to the task of filling big orders. A Sonoma man had demonstrated his capacity for big business, the wine industry, and for carrying it on right here in Sonoma valley, his home, which was the big item, for there was a time when local promoters thought it was next to impossible to ever get anything big started here. There were seemingly a hundred barriers which kept Sonoma from competing with live industrial localities. But one man hammered down all this fallacy over night, by returning from New York one day and announcing that he was to expend $60,000.00, and more if necessary to build and equipt a modern cannery on his Sonoma property so that he could fill immense government orders and take a patriotic hand in one of the greatest needs of the United States, that of helping to feed our soldiers and our allies.

The Sebastiani Canning Company and its magnificient plant which began operations this week is the result of this announcement and Sonoma now has its long hoped for big industry, thanks to Sam Sebastiani, the man who had the iniative and the business capacity and the capital to make it possible. He has put Sonoma on the industrial map of America.

The State of California is proud of every big industry within its borders and the Home Industry League has just issued a call to every community to list its advantages for manufacturing plants. These advantages will be advertised and every town out for big business expansion should benefit. Following is the appeal to live communities;

San Francisco, Sept. 19,—Every community in California, no matter how small or remote, is cordially invited to make up a list of all the sites suitable for factories of any sort which lie within its borders, together with full particulars as to what inducements the community stands ready to offer to any outside companies who will come to the community and erect manufacturing plants.

Lists of all sites in the state available for any sort of new factory, or other industrial plant, with the local labor situation, nearness to water, and rail, location of existing power plants, etc., are now being made up by the Home Industry League of California which is inviting the co-operation of every chamber of commerce, board of trade, and similar organization in communities where such organizations exist, and from the editors of the local newspapers in places where no commercial body is already formed, to compile this list of sites and inducements to capitalists.

Without any expense whatever to the respective communities, these lists will be published by the Home Industry League of California not only throughout this state but in the middle west and eastern states. The only condition imposed by the League on the various communities is that the lists be certified to either by the president or secretary of the local commercial organization or the editor of one of the local newspapers.

For placing the data before the largest number of possible investors in the east, with no expense to the local communities, theLeague offers the services of the best publicity bureau on the Pacific Coast, and if any locality fails to take advantage of this excellent plan to get its sites before the right parties, it has only its own inertia to blame for lack of civic progress."

Sonoma's Annual Fair

WE COMMEND the spirit of utility now steeped in virile patriotism which prompts the recurrence today of the Annual Agricultural Fair in Sonoma. For several years past the school children have been awake to the possibilities and duties along the lines of agricultural development and they have been expanding their citizenship accordingly. Farming has come to mean a lot to them that it never did before and the scientific angle of it has been steadily unfolding itself to their elders.

Of course it has all been in keeping with the spirit of the times and not just a provincial awakening. The government has fostered it, our educators have included practical courses bearing on rural efficiency in the curriculum of our schools, and with the responsibilities born of the war, agricultural training has become a positive necessity, a duty emblazoned in glory. We who live in California's favored section have ample opportunity to demonstrate how we are meeting the call of the nation to speed up the food program and the agricultural fair gives the observer a glimpse into what we are doing and are aiming to do along this line.

The interest of the public is as necessary as the interest of those concerned in the Fair. Let us all be there today to show the promoters of this worthy idea that we are with them and that we heartily commend the spirit which has actuated it and made it an annual event of which we are always rightfully proud.

Mrs. J. P. McDonnell of Sebastopol has been ill with an attack of appendicitis.

Lieutenant Clinton Madison, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Madison of Petaluma in now in France.

Julius Brown, new leasee of Fetters Springs, was in San Francisco on business the fore part of the week

Mrs. Burmester of El Verano entertained seventeen relatives this week at a dinner party in honor of her husband's fortieth birthday. Mr. Burmester was heartily felicitated and wished many happy returns of the day.

Capt. Fred Sprague is now in charge of surgical work in a big base hospital adjoining an immense munitions factory.

Superintendent Frank Rankin of the Grace Bros. ranch was in town Wednesday and reports the new grass which the rain has started for the cattle, a boon to stockraisers.

Mrs. Tetreau and daughters of Red Bluff are to be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Johnson for a few days. Mrs. Tetreau who was formerly an old time Sonoma girl, Lulu Law, will enroll her daughters in college as they have just completed High School in Tehama county.

DODGE IS DODGING "WHIZZ-BANGS"

Corporal "Over There" Is In Midst Of Exciting Battle Scenes.

August 9th 1918.

My Dear Mother:—

This is about the tenth time I have attempted to write you and each time before something came up to prevent it. Your letters of July 2nd and 10th were received day before yesterday. Gee but I would love to dive into a mess of what you call scraps. It would be a banquet to me now, though the eats have picked up much better than they were (censored) and Oh! what we wouldn't give for sweets of any kind. Honest Mother I never wanted anything so bad in my life as I have sweets or anything out of the ordinary run of army eats.. If there is any chance by hook or crook of your doing so, send me some sweets of some kind, and be sure to pack it well. Well I'll try to finish this now, I had to quit the "eats" and get to work. Yes Frederick Duhring is rather close to where I am but it is impossible for me to call on him, however I may have the opportunity. I would sure like to go where he is for a visit.

Well we've moved again since I last wrote you (this time of course nearer Berlin) in a good sized city or what remains of the city. It sure is a wreck, so far as I can see there is not a complete building left. Of course there has been some very heavy fighting in this region, but the greatest damage was done by our guns when we dislodged the Hun. I understand the guns I was telling you about in my last letter were responsible for a good share of this damage. They sure do good work. We left the last place in the evening and by the time we had the set working it was dark, so we had to hunt curselves a place to bunk in the dark and rain in the bargain. Well I took one look at the up-stairs, and said nix, it was practically roofless. I finally located in the chicken coop, Oh! yes it was 'some' mess, but I cleaned it out a bit, made a bed-stead out of two boxes and some boards and there was my home. I have fixed a bit by now, stove, shelf and all those things, pictures on the wall, statuary (souvenirs from a ruined home), with the shelf and all, I'm living like a king, even so far as to have hot water to shave with—some class to me (censored). Everywhere shell holes, ranging from a 75 hole, up to ?? well big enough to put a house in. I sure would have used my legs about the time those big bombs were dropping. They must have been airplane bombs and made direct hits on a railroad yard, all about this yard and tracks there are giant shells un-exploded, 10 to 15 inches in diameter, how they ever failed to explode when they were blown off the cars is more than I can tell, Oh! well Fritz's shells only average 1 out of 4 that are any good.

It was quite an interesting experience going over this battle field, first as it was so recently held by the Germans and second because we were right along side of some of the guns that did the damage, and we bid the shells "bon voyage" as they left the guns, at every shot some one would say "you tell 'em baby"! or "give 'em hell, little one"! We always felt good when we could hear our guns reply, 10 to 1 of the Huns. The other day they dropped a beaut in this town, Oh, it made it nice, especially as they came so close we could see them light. When they'd whistle over head, we'd all duck our heads till the whistle came from behind us. The worst ones are the (nick-named) "whizz-bangs", they are just what their name implies, you don't know they are coming until they are with you, then it is 'whizz--bang". While the rest of them give you a few seconds warning.

I captured myself a French bayonet on the ex-battlefield the other day—that night, (our first day in this place) we cooked our meal and I used the bayonet to hold my hard-tack or biscuit, over the fire to toast it, it adds wonderfully to them if you soak them in coffee or water and then toast them, tastes almost like "Hot Cross Buns". One of the boys found an old French sword, made in 1821, this we used after cleaning it, to stir our soup. It was some combination, worse than that, the bucket we used to cook in was the one we used to use as a bath tub, of course it was boiled out first.

Well it is getting too dark to see any more so I'll close for this time,

With love, from your son,

Neal Dodge.

August 1st, 1918.

My dear Grandmother:—

Was just looking over some old letters and ran across one from you which reminded me that I have not written for some time. I am so busy with my work and my own personal wants that I forgot to write as often as I should.

Since I last wrote you we have moved a number of times. Always in the wake of the Hun and always nearer our ultimate goal. I sincerely hope it isn't far off. Of course our accommodations are for from being A 1, but one can't expect much from places, but recently evacuated by the Hun and very few whole houses left in a town. One place we were in was so completely shot up that it was but a pile of stones and rubbish.

Since we started on this move we haven't seen a single civilian, of course we are in newly regained territory, sometimes but 12 to 14 hours old, but we are quite some distance back of the lines at all times.

Old Fritz manages to reach us once in a while with a shell, but they are not sent over very often. Tho every night since we have been in this place we've been wakened up by gas alarms. He generally sends over about 3 to 6 shells and then quits.

Last night was an exciting evening, we had shells, gas and Hun airplanes all in quite a short time. Oh! it was lovely, the only thing I object to is to having my sleep disturbed.

The first few days in this place, we had a battery of long range guns right near us, they sure made some noise, the concussion would cause things to jump around, though we were some 200 or 300 yards away from them. I had the pleasure of seeing the results of the work of this same gun on a town near here. Believe me, they sure cleaned things up.

The other day I picked up a German rifle and about 200 rounds of ammunition. I intended to do some target practising, but there is an order out against it now, so I think I'll take it home with me if it is possible.

Well I must close now, with lots of love to everyone, Your grandson,

Neal.

SPOILED THEIR GAME SO THEY SUE

Hunters and Trappers Sue Sonoma Land Company Because Marsh Was Improved.

The time and attention of Judge Seawell was occupied all day yesterday in hearing the suit of William Appelby and brother,, well-known hunters, trappers and fishermen of this county, against the Sonoma Land Company for $10,000 damages.

The suit is one of the most unusual ever tried in the local courts and no doubt in the state as the plaintiffs are waging a legal battle against the Land Company for having improved its land holdings in Sonoma and Napa counties and thereby driven away wild ducks, geese, fur-bearing animals, etc., which formerly made the property their haunt.

After the Land Company began improving its property the Appelby brothers caused some trouble by trespassing and in other ways so the company secured an injunction against the men to prevent them from in any manner interfering with the Land Company property.

The Appelby's then filed suit for $10,000 damages, claiming that by the Land Company dredging its property, building levees and otherwise improving its holdings, had driven away all the wild game and prevented them from their usual profits, which they claim were vested rights.

Several witnesses were examined and a large amount of documentary evidence was placed in the record after which the matter was submitted to the court.

Judge Seawell intimated very plainly that the case was of a most unusual character and in his opinion without much shadow of any grounds of a legal standing, thereby foreshadowing his decision in the minds of those present.

CHEREZ LE FEMMNE A LA MEDBURY

Dame Rumor claims that a Sonoma romance of the war has already been shattered.

And that instead of absence making the heart grow fonder, a far away Sonoma soldier boy (name censored) "somewhere in France" will find himself jilted by the Sonoma county Jane (not really Jane), he left behind him.

It appears that the coquettish young lady thinks nothing of transfering her affections, for she is a natural flirt.

She therefore felt "some" lonesome when the angling season was over and as she could not keep the poor fish dangling on her line so far across the pond, she baited her hook for a new one, tall, dark and handsome, and he wooed so successfully that they claim she is now wearing his ring.

Of course the new love was above the draft age but not the new draft, and who knows, if he is called too, she may yet become an old man's darling.

Meanwhile some little French girl may be fascinating ze tall, handsome, fair, American lad and teaching him to parlez vous Francaise. So he should worry! Verily Cupid is kept busy keeping tab on lovers these days

INDEX-TRIBUNE SUBSCRIBERS ARE PAYING UP

The past week has demonstrated the fine spirit of cooperation between the Index-Tribune and its big family of readers. Our subscribers realize the necessity of obeying the War Industries Board new requirements in regard to their local newspaper and it is making the publishers efforts to comply, that much easier. The pay-in-advance way is a much better one in every respect and once accounts are brought up to date, every subscriber realizes it.

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The order of the War Iudustries Board to go into effect October 1st is as follows:

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No newspaper may be established during the period of the war, except those for which arrangements had been made and plants purchased previous to the issuing of this order, or unles it can be shown that a new newspaper is a necessity.

ESCAPED IN RAIN AND DROWNED

Inmate At State Home Meets Sad Death Last Week.

About two o'clock Thursday morning, Sept. 12, Percy Noble, a young lad inmate of the Sonoma State Home at Eldridge, stole out of the dormitory clad only in his night gown. Soon after his disappearance was noted the supervisor and atteodants and others went out in the early morning to hunt for him. The search was maintained on subsequent days and the streams in the neighborhood were dragged.

Sunday morning the body of young Noble was found in the bottom of a small lake in the rear of the institution buildings. A dog belonging to a party of hunters made the gruesome find.

It is supposed that in his endeavor to get away, the lad had run off in the darkness and had fallen into the lake. Coroner Phillips held an inquest and a verdict of accidental death was returned.

No blame was attached to anybody The lad originally was committed to the institution from San Francisco. The funeral took place on Monday, interment being in the cemetery on the estate.

COURT CALENDAR

Defendant's default was entered in the divorce action of Jessie M. Carson vs. Thomas R. Carson and the case was set for trial September 23.

The estate of Sophie Soderberg was filed in the Superior Court Monday by Attorney R. A. Poppe, who presents petition of Charles Soderberg for letters of administration. The property is valued at $5,000 and the heirs, in addition to the surviving husband are a son and daughter, Axel Soderberg, now in the naval service of the United States, and Mrs. Alice Knolle, of Vineburg.

Petition to invest money in trust funds of August Schweighardt was granted on motion of Attorney R. A. Poppe. Sale of realty was confirmed in the estate of Sarah Baines on motion of the same attorney.

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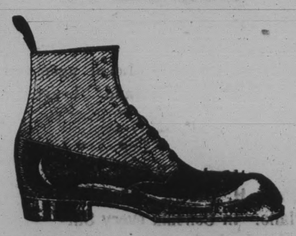

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WOMEN AND THE WAR

Y.W.C.A.

By MRS. HENRY P. DAVISON

Treasurer War Work Council
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Within six months after the United States entered the war, the Y. W. C. A. War Work Council had established girls' clubs near more than forty of the cantonments, barracks, and navy yards. A trained recreation leader was placed in charge of each club. These workers supplement the efforts of the local Associations, if those already exist. Where the idea is new the workers form club centers, organize the girls, and arouse them to a sense of their responsibility in this time of great excitement and confusion.

Mrs. Davison

No scolding of girls for unwise actions and no solemn finger-shaking occurs in the clubs. Instead of dwelling on what not to do, these wise leaders urge real patriotism. All sorts of projects are suggested that are more interesting than the dubious and dangerous pleasures which appeal to the ignorant and the thoughtless. At parties, for instance, these wily chaperones, whom no one ever thinks of as supervisors, arrange that there shall always be twice as many soldiers as girls. "Twosing" is utterly impossible where there are not enough girls to go around!

Club leaders do not attempt to banish the gallant soldier entirely from the girls' world; they wish only to bring him down from glorified heights of glamour to take his place as an every-day hero, subject to the same scrutiny as other men.

Instruction and relief work are not neglected. Among the activities offered are dressmaking, cooking, knitting, French, athletics, dancing, singing, Red Cross work, Belgian relief, and work for the fatherless children of France. The world contains a number of things besides soldiers for a girl's imagination to dwell upon. Hundreds of clubs for school and business girls all over the country are offering pleasanter recreation than the gaily lighted streets and the shadowy parks.

"I have a place now to spend my evenings," said a telephone girl in Waukegan, Illinois, to the club leader. "I was so lonely before you came."

Emergency housing for employed girls is closely connected with the more general welfare work. Centers, selected on the basis of immediate need, have been chosen as demonstration grounds to show employers how girl employees should be housed. These centers are near the cantonments.

The Bureau of Social Morality is an important feature of the War Work Council's program under the present abnormal conditions. That ignorance is no shield to a girl is well known to its members. Instead, it is her gravest peril. Any situation shrouded in mystery is dangerous. Women can deal only with what they understand. A true social morality must be built on a foundation of knowledge, and be inspired by high aims.

Fourteen women physicians are talking to groups of parents, schoolgirls, and industrial women. These lecturers bend their best efforts to spreading information on social ideals.

Colored women at this time must meet all the problems confronting white women. Their situation is further complicated by industrial and social conditions. Special clubs are being formed among colored girls in the neighborhood of cantonments. Workers are being placed in industrial centers like Louisville, Kentucky, and Hopewell, Virginia.

Immigrant men who formerly labored in mines, on farms, and in factories, and now serve in our army are, themselves, in need of assistance. Foreign men marry young and many, even of the young ones, have large families dependent upon them. Because of these helpless families, the War Work Council has translators who go into the camps.

The activities of the War Work Council could not be confined to our own country. Our American nurses in France need the Y. W. C. A. social workers. Even the most self-reliant women must have help at the front where women's welfare is a matter of minor importance. A central club in Paris gives hard-worked, courageous nurses a home in a strange land. Branch clubs at all of the base hospitals provide relaxation and recreation for hours off.

When the French women cabled to the War Work Council, pleading for experts to advise them in establishing foyer-canteens for women workers in munitions and other war industries, experts were sent over to have oversight of the building and equipping of some of the canteens and act as adviser to French committees.

A professionally solemn-faced butler in one of the beautiful homes where a drawing-room meeting was being held stood where he heard the stories of the War Work Council's plans and accomplishments. After the guests had gone he approached the speaker with two one-dollar bills. "I give them for my daughter," he said. "I am subject to the next draft. When I am gone someone must look after my little girl. I feel the War Work Council will do it."

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CRUELTY AND LUST WEAPONS OF HUNS

Conquered Peoples Shamefully Treated for Advantage of the German State.

Prussian Officers Callously Tell How Starvation and Abuse Are Made to Serve Their Purpose—Captive Women Made Slaves.

This I have seen. I could not believe it unless I had seen it through and through. For several weeks I lived with it; I went all about it and back of it; inside and out of it was shown to me—until finally I came to realize that the incredible was true. It is monstrous, it is unthinkable,—but it exists. It is the Prussian system.—F. C. Walcott.

No more graphic description of the ravages of the German soldiery upon the civilian population of invaded countries has been given than is contained in the brief and simple statements of F. C. Walcott, now connected with the United States food administration, who was assistant to Mr. Hoover while America was feeding Belgium, Poland and northern France. In one of these statements Mr. Walcott says:

Even now I find it hard to describe in comprehensible terms the mind of official Germany, which dominates and shapes all German thought and action. Yet it is as hard, as clear-cut, as real as any material thing. I saw it in Poland, I saw the same thing in Belgium, I heard of it in Serbia and Roumania. For weeks it was always before me, always the same. Officers talked freely, frankly, directly. All the staff officers have the same view.

Let me try to tell it, as General von Kries told me, in Poland, in the midst of a dying nation. Germany is destined to rule the world, or at least a great part of it. The German people are so much human material for building the German state, other people do not count. All is for the glory and might of the German state. The lives of human beings are to be conserved only if it makes for the state's advancement, their lives are to be sacrificed if it is to the state's advantage. The state is all, the people are nothing.

Conquered people signify little in the German account. Life, liberty, happiness, human sentiment, family ties, grace and generous impulse, these have no place beside the one concern, the greatness of the German state.

Starvation must excite no pity; sympathy must not be allowed, if it hampers the main design of promoting Germany's ends.

"Starvation is here," said General von Kries. "Candidly, we would like to see it relieved; we fear our soldiers may be unfavorably affected by the things that they see. But since it is here, starvation must serve our purpose. So we set it to work for Germany. By starvation we can accomplish in two or three years in East Poland more than we have in West Poland, which is East Prussia, in the last hundred years. With that in view, we propose to turn this force to our advantage.

"This country is meant for Germany," continued the keeper of starving Poland. "It is a rich alluvial country which Germany has needed for some generations. We propose to remove the able-bodied working Poles from this country. It leaves it open for the inflow of German working people as fast as we can spare them. They will occupy it and work it."

Then with a cunning smile, "Can't you see how it works out? By and by we shall give back freedom to Poland. When that happens Poland will appear automatically as a German province."

In Belgium, General von Bissing told me exactly the same thing. "If the relief of Belgium breaks down we can force the industrial population into Germany through starvation and colonize other Belgians in Mesopotamia where we have planned large irrigation works; Germans will then overrun Belgium. Then when the war is over and freedom is given back to Belgium, it will be a German Belgium that is restored. Belgium will be a German province and we have Antwerp—which is what we are after."

That is not all. Removing the men, that the land may be vacant for German occupation, that German stock may replace Belgians, Poles, Serbians, Armenians, and now Roumanians, Germany does more. Women left captive are enslaved. Germany makes all manner of lust its instrumentality.

The other day a friend of mine told me of a man just returned from northern France. "I cannot tell you the details," he said, "man to man, I don't want to repeat what I heard." Some of the things he did tell—shocking mutilation and moral murder. He told of women, by the score, in occupied territory of northern France, prisoned in underground dungeons, tethered for the use of their bodies by officers and men.

If this is not a piece of the Prussian system, it is the logical product of disregard of the rights of others.

Germany has limited the amount that prisoners may spend to $15 a week for officers and $12.50 for privates.

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BIG FEATHER IN CAP OF ORGANIZATION

Poultry Federation Add Names of Famous Chicken Men To Roll.

The Poultry Producers Association of Central California which has been under the observation of some of the biggest producers for some time past and whose efforts in behalf of our chicken people have attracted widespread attention, has received the unqualified endorsement of Corless brothers of Petaluma who have affiliated with the federation. In signing up they declared the association to be the finest thing possible for the poultrymen.

As Corliss brothers are credited with owning the biggesst chicken ranch in the world, a plant carrying 30,000 laying hens, their decision is fraught with great importance. Not only is their judgment worth something and their produce a big item, but many other signers will now be brought in, naturally following the suite of such successful business men as these.

E. E. Bennett who attended a busy session of the Federation in San Francisco Tuesday, declares that all their cold storage stock is already sold at a fine figure and with greater facilities, an immense volume of business is possible.

Miss Mildred Ranker and Miss Rhea Edrington went down to Berkeley Sunday evening where they were pleasantly entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Simmons, Mrs. Gladys Groom and the Emparan family attended the fine production, "Hearts of the World" in Napa last evening.

TONY MARCUCCI BUYS MODERN TRACTOR

Tony Marcucci of Schellville believes in farming on the new scientific scale and after trying out a tractor last season, has this year purchased a fine new Samson which he will use to plow his big ranch in the southern section of the vvalley.

Mr. Marcucci raised several hundred tons of hay the past season and much of it was sold to Adolph Spreckels for his Napa Stock Farm. The hay was loaded on barges right on the Marcucci ranch and shipped via our waterway to Napa.

AL DUTIL BUYS FINE HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dutil of El Verano have purchased the Fields place at El Verano from Mrs. Louise Fields whose husband died some time ago from an accidental gun-shot wound. The deal was consummated by the Thos. H. Baines realty agency

Mr. Dutil has acquired a fine piece of property. It consists of seven acres along Sonoma Creek, a fine gravel pit, an orchard, garden, water system etc. The house is a modern five room structure and there are out-buildings and many conveniences

Mr. and Mrs. Dutil will take up their residence there.

NEWSPAPER WOMAN HERE

Mrs. Anna Morrison Reed of the Northern Crown was in town Tuesday and Wednesday and was a guest at Laurence Villa. The talented woman writer was a candidate for the Assembly in Mendocino county and was defeated by a small margin. She made the fight in the interest of the grape growers and hop men of her section and her slogan, "compensate them" is being widely considered.

While in Sonoma, Mrs. Reed with the true sentiment and admiration of a poet, one for the other, visited the last resting place of Edna Poppe Cooper whom she greatly admired and whose poems she had published.

Mrs. Reed returned to Ukiah on Thursday.

SOCIAL DANCE TONIGHT PANCRAZI'S, GLEN ELLEN

This is the night of the grand ball and entertainment for the parish benefit at Glen Ellen and Pancrazi's auditorium will be the scene of a very nice party judging by the arrangements which have been made.

There will be motion pictures as well as duancing and the music engaged is said to possess the subtle "jazz" quality so popular with dance lovers of today. Ice cream and refreshments will be served throughout the evening and the funds will go toward aiding the worthy cause.

The affair will start about 8:30 and the doors of the auditorium will be open promptly at 8 p. m.

BOB MADISON TRUE TO HIS CONSTITUENTS

Assemblyman From This District Leads Opposition To "Dry" Plank In Republican Convention Platform And Walks Out.

Refusing to get under the prohibition lash of Rev. D. M. Gandier, who has been running rough shod over the political conventions at Sacramento this week, Assemblyman Robert Madison of this district withdrew from the Republican caucus up there with twenty followers after the vote on the incorporation of the "dry' plank in the platform of the Republican party revealed a majority of 34 votes in favor of the national prohibition amendment. Madison who has always been a consistant friend of the wine and hop men of this district and stood loyally through the last session of the Legislature for the best interests of his constituents, declared that if the State Convention voiced the sentiment of the national party, he desired to be disassociated from the Republican party. He refused to sacrifice his principle for politics, maintaining that a great industry should not be wiped out by puppets dancing to the seductive strains of Dr. Gandiers chin music—the same leader who in 1917, at the church Federation banquet to executives and legislatives in Sacramento declared that unless all politicions followed him and those he represented (various church organizations), they would be expunged from the political sphere forthwith. Madison, notwithstanding, took all the abuse and threats of the "drys" and went through the last session of the Legislature unscathed, acquitting himself with distinction and winning through his gentlemanly consistency, the respect —of both sides. He had no opposition at the recent primaries and was reelected by a handsome vote. —

In commenting on the stand taken by Assemblyman Madison and other constituents toward the Republican convention incorporating the "bone dry" idea in its platform, the Sacramento Bee of Tuesday had the following to say:

"If the Republican Convention does endorse the National Prohibition Amendment, it will do so probably against the conscientious views of a majority of delegates.

Jumping In After Gandier?

But the craze is on. The bacillus of political insanity is spreading everywhere. Prohibition scarecrows are freightening men nowadays as the name of Richard Coeur de Leon affreightened the Saracens' babies in the Third Crusade.

And there seems to be a prevalent opinion that. because Stephens did the unnecessary and foolish thing, politically, when he came out for bone-dry prohibition, the whole party must jump with him into that ditch and trust to God, the Supreme Court and Luck to get them out.

Elected as Anti-Prohibitionist.

If the Republican Convention should endorse the National Prohibition Amendment, a demonstration will be made of another peculiar, if not illuminating, idiocy of our present Primary Lay.

In Sacramento County, for instance, the two Assemblymen-elect, J. W. Johnston and Lee Gebhart, were elected upon a platform of their own—a platform which they submitted to the voters of this county, and a platform which was endorsed and ratified by The People of this county because the voters elected these men thereon at the primary by handsome majorities.

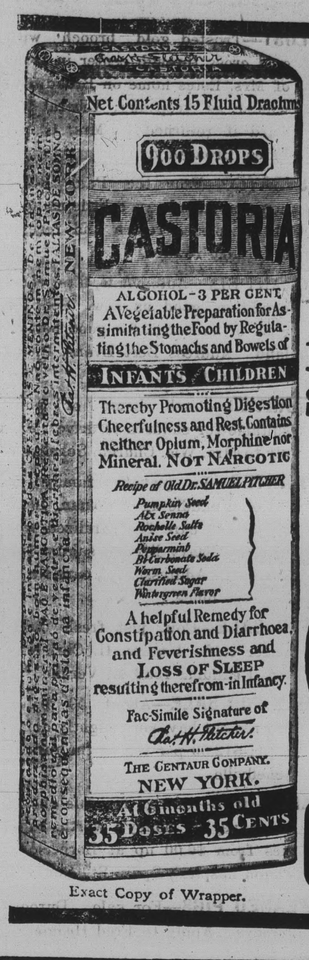
The elemental plank in their platform was a declaration against the National Prohibition Amendment, and a pledge on their part that, if elected, they would vote against it.

A More Sovereign Power.

Now may come the Republican Party, through its convention, declaring for the endorsement of said National Prohibition Amendment.

Such a plank particularly isn't worth the paper it is written on. For Johnston and Gebhart, and others in the state of California—elected in direct opposition to such a plank—would not be men if they meekly submitted to the prohibition lash thus used.

They were elected by a power far more sovereign than a Republican Convention. They were elected upon a platform endorsed by The People, and needing no subsequent approval from any convention; and they should and must reject and repudiate any attempt on the part of any convention of any character to nullify that solemn pledge."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LOCAL BREVETIES

Mrs. Abele has been down to the Bay cities on a visit.

Mrs. J. Englund was hostess to the White Shell club on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Munfrey have been visiting their folks here.

Miss Carola J. Felder has enrolled as a student of the Santa Rosa business College.

Mrs. Paul Robin entertained a number of friends at an "afternoon" on Thursday.

Mrs. Tom Monahan returned from a visit with relatives in San Francisco Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed Johannsen and daughter Edda returned from a visit to San Francisco Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Schmiedeskamp and family of Vineburg are to make their future home in San Francisco.

Miss Bessie Venton has accepted a position as book-keeper with the California Glove Company here.

Miss Helen Kerner, the popular telephone operator has been enjoying her vacation in San Francisco.

Mrs. J. Carson has returned from an outing on a big ranch in the wilds of Humboldt county where she shot a bear.

Mrs. Dennett, who was called away on account of the illness of her daughter has returned to the home of Mrs. Mary L. Carter.

The Salvation Army drive, endorsed by Judge Seawell and widely commended has been in progress here this week.

Clark Evans is with the Armed Guards of the U. S. Navy. He expects to make a trip with a convoy before long.

Phyllis Fisk had a birthday party last week in honor of her third anniversary and she received congratulationss from her daddy in France.

All Glen Ellen folks who wish to buy bonds of the Fourth Liberty Loan should apply to Eliza Shepard, chairman of that school district so that Glen Ellen may get credit for the sales.

Miss Emily Poppe will entertain the teachers of both High and Grammar schools at a tea tomorrow afternoon. The attractive R. A. Poppe home will be the scene of the gathering of our educators.

Arthur Luce has taken the office in the Poppe building and is doing preliminary Liberty Loan work. Miss Bessie Venton is the stenographer making ready for the big drive here in Sonoma Valley.

George Kenyon, U. S. Navy won signal honors recently for rescuing 500 passengers from a liner which had been torpedoed, his ship having picked up the wireless call for help. He is a brother af the Misses Kenyon of the Bigelow ranch.

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WANTED—In private family in Napa, a middle-aged woman, 40 to 50 yrs. to care for paralized woman, no heavy lifting; salary $40 a month. Address, "A", care Napa Register office.

FOR SALE—Cow, just fresh with heifer calf. Inquire, H. Christensen, Petaluma road El Verano.

HAY FOR SALE—About 50 bales fine red oat hay, very slightly damaged; $12.50 per ton at the ranch. Schellville.

ALL KINDS—of rigs for sale cheap for money or money's worth, buggies from $6.00 up at Bornecke's wagon hospital, Spain St., Sonoma

WEANED PIGS—For sale, Duroc-Jerseys. Apply to Fred Heggie.

TRADE—Two 4 room San Francisco flats; 5 years old; value $5,000; clear; Rents $42.50; Sunset dist; near Golden Gate Park; Want good ranch. Will assume. No inflations. Address 231 Hugo St. San Francisco.

WANTED—To hire man to plow, harrow and seed 9½ acres of land at Schellville, near Waller ranch. Owner will furnish seed. Apply at This office.

FOR RENT—By the year at a rental of $10 as pasture for cow or horse my lot on Napa St. (present renters time expired). Address Mrs. Henry Hartin, 2311 E St. Eureka California.

FOR SALE—Good gentle, all purpose horse, buggy and 2 sets of harness also cook stove and other household utensils. Inquire this office.

PIANO BARGAIN—Square piano in good condition. $75, easy terms if desired. Apply this office.

FOR SALE—Young Muscovy ducks, suitable for market. Apply to Al Trautvetter, Hyde Tract.

FOR SALE—No. 1 baled oat hay in field near Schellville. Address R. A. Dow, Sonoma.

WANTED—To rent 25 to 40 acre ranch in vicinity of Sonoma or Petaluma. Must be house and water on place. Apply P. Zeni, Sonoma Calif., Broadway, opposite One-Mile House.

WANTED—Stock ranch of 200 acres or more, must have plenty of water and shelter. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE—Or trade, all kinds of rigs; 1 1½ ton wagon. 1 2 ton wagon, also buggies, and the former Topete horse. Inquire at this office.

WANTED—to buy carrots by the 100 lbs. sacks. Give best price for 1 ton or more. Box 71 Schellville.

FOR SALE or rent 8 rooms with store and outbuildings, cottage in rear Suitable for residence and business at Caliente Park, Sonoma Valley. Apply to Mrs. Gatchell, Boyes.

WANTED—10 or 15 acres good hay land, will rent or work on shares. Apply to this office.

FOR SALE—4 ton brewery wagon in good condition, bargain. Inquire at this office.

WANTED—To buy Leghorn hens, 100 or 200. Also some broilers 1lb. and over. Apply to Cantor's Resort.

BARGAIN—in Upright Piano, sell on terms or very cheap for cash. Mrs. M. Norrbom near High School, Broadway, Sonoma.

FOR SALE—6 horses from 900 to 1400 lbs. Gentle and will work single or double or under the saddle. Also 3 light wagons, 2 buggies and 2 surries, cheap. Apply to F. Jensen, El Verano Postoffice.

WANTED—Olives in any quantity. Best market price paid. Will contract for from 1 to 3 years, $55 to $100 per ton. Sam Sebastiani.

Will buy worn out stock, horses, cows, etc. Pay top prices. Phone Boneyard, 6F2 or address, J. Giubergia Box 8 Route A, Sonoma Cal.

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VINEBURG

On Wednesday evening, Sept. 18th a reception was tendered to Mr. and Mrs. Al Frinck, Mrs. Minnie L. Vaux of Oakland and Mrs. C. Berest of San Francisco by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Martin at Vineburg Inn. Messrs Frinck and Berest are well known and prominent business men of San Francisco and Oakland. The guest of honor and star of the evening was Mrs. Minnie Vaux, one of Oaklands favorite contralto vocalists who during the evening favored the company with several choice selections which were very much enjoyed by all those who had the pleasure of hearing the lady's beautiful voice and all were delighted with the evenings entertainment.

Peter Koopmann and daughter Miss Bertha, visited San Francisco on Sunday last.

MissIda Marshall, candidate for County Superintendent of Schools was a visitor in this vicinity last Wednesday and all who met the lady were pleased with her charming personality, her brilliant conversational powers and her broad ideas on educational matters, which goes to prove that the lady is duly qualified to fill the position she aspires to.

Mrs. Grover C. Rubke was the week end guest of San Francisco friends and returned on Sundey.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Groskopf were the guests of bay city friends and relatives the past week.

Theo. Riebli of Penn Grove and a well known Sonoma valley boy is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Henry Forni at the present time. Welcome Teddy.

Mrs. J. C. Rector was a visitor to the metropolis last week and was the guest of her many friends.

The first car of dried fruit from this section was shipped from Battos spur on Monday.

ELDRIDGE NOTES

The Home will be well represented at Santa Rosa next Tuesday evening as several parties have made their reservations for "Hearts of the World" at the Cline.

L. Markee and Burr Leach have returned from a motoring trip thru the southern part of the state.

C. B. Craig and wife, leave today for a week's visit with friends at Laurel Dell on the Blue Lakes.

Horace De Lor Dickinson has sold his Maxwell car to parties living in Schellville. He has given up his 'pass-port to the luxuries on the hill' and is taking up physical culture and pedestrianism to reduce weight.

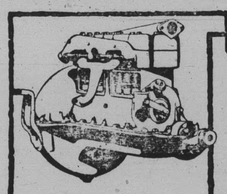
Chris Peterson, our chicken rancher, is taking a much needed vacation by motoring through Mendocino and Humboldt counties.

Much amusement has been had here during the last week over the ressurrection of many "middle" names thought securely hidden by initial only. The requirements of the draft registration brought to light these names that had been wished on their unlucky possessors. Dr. Leo. Jamie McMahan, J. Francis McDonald, Ed Melville Gallagher, Dug Stephen Weir Horace DeLos Dickinson, H. Harrison Montgomery, C. Blackburn Craig Ike Manning Fitch, Ed Stanislaus King, E. Lee Roberts and last but not least the guy that put the "Pop" in Korn, originally wrote it Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Allen of the Lehrke tract who are to remove to Berkeley were the guests if Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bennett at dinner last Saturday night.

FOR SALE—6 dozen Leghorn chickens 6 months old. Inquire at Boyes Springs store.

FOR SALE—Oak dining room table and 6 chairs like new, 2 iron bed steads and mattresses, 2 bureaus, 1 box couch. Apply to Mrs. Louise Fields, R. F. D., El Verano.



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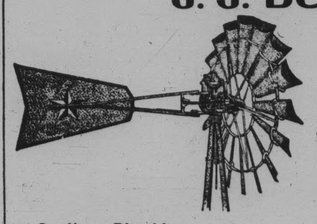

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¶ One section of this law states that a dentist may have his license taken from him for "unprofessional conduct."
¶ This sounds like it might be a good little "protector," so let's crack this nut and pick out the meat.
¶ The Dental Board which has the power to take a dentist's license from him for "unprofessional conduct," and from whose decision there is no appeal, is composed of members of a dental association.
¶ This association is a clique of dentists who support and are governed by a Code of Dental Ethics.
¶ This Code of Ethics makes it "unprofessional conduct" to charge prices lower than those set by said association.
¶ Now you are beginning to see a little light.
¶ Get the idea how the Dental Law is protecting you?
¶ This trust schedule fixes the lowest amount of money that may be charged for dentistry. But there is no provision as to the largest amount of money that may be extracted from the patient.
¶ This is certainly some fine little "protector," but for whom?
¶ To make it perfectly clear, below are extracts from the bill of minimum prices prepared by members of the California Dental Association:

MINIMUM PRICES

Examination	$ 2.00	Special Crown	$15.00
Gold Crown	10.00	Antrum Operation	50.00
Fractures	50.00	Time lost through broken appointments, per hour	3.00
Continuous Gum Plates	150.00		
Consultation	5.00		

¶ The Dental Amendment for which you are asked to vote permits a dentist to charge reasonable prices, bringing dentistry within the reach of all, without fear of losing his license for "unprofessional conduct."
¶ This means that competition, which should make fair prices in all lines of trade, shall not be killed by the Dental Combine through its clever manipulation of the law.
¶ Every voter who wants a square deal should vote for Dental Amendment No. 21 on the ballot.

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Pauline Frederick in
LA TOSCA
A Paramount
WEDNESDAY, Sept. 25
Mary Garden in
THAIS
A Goldwynn
THURSDAY, Sept. 26
Constance Talmage in
Up The Road With Sallie
A Select
FRIDAY. Sept. 27
Mary MacLaren in
The Model's Confession
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FERRY TIME TABLE
Effective Saturday, April 6..
LEAVE POINT RICHMOND—Daily (except Sunday) 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 a. m., 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:00 p. m Sundays—7:30, 9:00, 10:30, a. m. 12:00m., 2:00, 3:30, 5:00, 6:30, 8:00 p. m.
LEAVE POINT SAN QUENTIN—Daily (except Sunday) 8:15, 10:15 a. m., 12:15, 2:15, 4:15, 6:15, 7:45 p. m. Sundays—8:15, 9:45, 11:15 a. m., 12:45, 2:45, 4:15, 5:45, 7:15, 8:45 p. m.
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BENEFIT FOR ORPHANS A DECIDED SUCCESS

The Rebekahs gave a very successful and enjoyable benefit for the Orphans Home of the I. O. O. F. on Thursday night and over $70 was taken in. The evening was devoted to the sale of fancy work, music, dancing, cards and refreshments. A patriotic song by Jimmie Fields, a talented 11 year old boy, was much enjoyed, also songs by Miss Antoinette Froment and Ralph Busby, instrumental music by Mrs. W. L. Murphy and the Pauli orchestra.

The Rebekahs proved hospitable hostesses.

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In and for the County of Sonoma, State of California.

In the Matter of the Estate of MATILDA MARTINONI, Deceased.

Notice of Time and Place for Proving Will. C. C. P., Sec. 1303.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MONDAY, the 7th day of October, A. D., 1918, at 10 o'clock, A. M., of said day, and the Court Room of said Superior Court, in Department Two thereof, in the City of Santa Rosa, County of Sonoma, State of California, is hereby fixed and appointed as the time and place for proving the Will of said Matilda Martinoni, deceased; and for the hearing by the Court of the application of Peter Boccoli, for the issuance to him of Letters of Administration with the Will annexed, thereon.

Dated September 19, A. D., 1918.
(SEAL) W. W. FELT, JR.
County Clerk.
By F. C. Thompson, Deputy Clerk.
C. C. Cowgill, Esq., Attorney for Petioner.
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Tonight, Saturday, Sept. 21, Paramount Bray-Pictograph, "The Magazine of the Screen"---Paramount Comedy, "The Wishbone"---Mack Sennett Comedy in two parts, "The Saucy Madeline."

Sunday, Sept, 22, Jesse L. Lasky presents Wallace Reid and Kathlyn Williams in "The Thing We Love," by Harvey Thew, a five part drama.

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